eventually eliminate the diversion of PDS SKO for adulteration. The pilot project is to be implemented in 10% of the blocks of the country for a period of six months. Thereafter, the working of the scheme would be independently assessed and, based on the experience gained, Government will consider scaling up the scheme to cover the entire country. It is hoped this will lead to a significant breakthrough in the delivery of subsidized SKO to the entitled segments of society and thus contribute to the curbing of diversion for adulteration.

**Diversion of domestic LPG cylinder for commercial purpose**

1692. SHRI LALIT SURI: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the practice by LPG agencies in Delhi to divert LPG cylinders meant for domestic use for commercial purposes is still being followed;

(b) the number of such cases detected during 2003, 2004 and so far during 2005, alongwith the names of agencies involved;

(c) whether the licence of any agency has been cancelled and any other specific action taken against the defaulters alongwith their particulars; and

(d) whether the names of defaulter gas agencies have been made public, if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI MANI SHANKAR AIYAR): (a) and (b) The names of LPG distributorships of Public Sector Oil Marketing Companies (OMCs) operating in Delhi found involved in the diversion of domestic LPG for commercial purposes during 2003, 2004 and 2005 (upto June, 2005) are given in the annexed Statement (See below).

(c) and (d) Two LPG distributorships of Indian Oil Corporation Limited (IOCL), namely, M/s Vee Vee Enterprises and M/s Hitesh Enterprise, have been terminated for their involvement in various malpractices, including diversion of domestic cylinders. Action against other distributors has been taken under the provisions of the Marketing Discipline Guidelines (MDG). There Is no practice of publicising the defaulter LPG distributors.

***Statement***

Details of LPG Distributors of Public Sector Oil Marketing Companies (OMGs) Operating in Delhi Found Diverting Domestic LPG Cylinders since year

| Year | Name of LPG agency |
|---|---|
| 2003 | M/s. Roop Gas. |
| | M/s. Mayapuri Gas Co. |
| 2004 | Nil |
| 2005 (upto | M/s. Amit Gas Agency. |
| June 2005) | M/s. Fairdeals. |
| | M/s. Vardhman Gas Agency. |
| | M/s. Gujarat Agencies. |
| | M/s. Amar Gas Service. |
| | M/s. Manohar Gas Service. |
| | M/s. Vee Vee Enterprises. |
| | M/s. Sukhdham Gas Service. |
| | M/s. Shri Subhash Gas Service. |
| | M/s. Keerti Gas Service. |
| | M/s. Vidya Sagar Gas Agency. |
| | M/s. Avtar Gas Service. |
| | M/s. R.K. Agencies. |
| | M/s. Shakti Enterprises. |
| | M/s. Arya Gas Service. |
| | M/s. Parul Gas Service. |
| | M/s. Hitesh Enterprise. |
| | M/s. Nandi Gas Distributors. |
| | M/s. Dagar Gas Service. |
| | M/s. Gauri Enterprises. |
| | M/s. Neelkanth Gas. |
| | M/s. Jagan Enterprises. |
| | M/s. Shiv Shakti Gas Service. |
| | M/s. Anand Gas Service. |
| | M/s. Sharman Gas Co. |
| | M/s. Santoshi Gas Service. |
| | M/s. Chanakya & Siddartha Gas Co. |
| | M/s. Priyanika Gas Service. |
| | M/s. Sarla Enterprises. |